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Applicant:	Ashley J. Birkett)	Attorney Docket:
Serial No.:	09/931,325)	ICC-103.1 US
Filed:	August 15, 2001)	83502
For:	Malaria Immunogen)	Group Art Unit 1648
	and Vaccine)	
Examiner:	Zachariah Lucas)	

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A two-month extension of time in response to the Office Action dated February 10, 2003, is respectfully requested.

There is submitted herewith the following:

1. Reply and Amendment;
2. An executed Declaration of Dr. Ashley Birkett;
3. Form PTO-1449 and Art; and
4. Check No. 082108 in the amount of \$205.00 for the two-month extension of time (a response was due May 10, 2003).

No further fee or petition is believed to be necessary in addition to those that are enclosed. Should any fee be

needed, please charge our Deposit Account No. 23-0920, and deem this paper to be the required petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this Petition, in duplicate, with its fee, together with the above-mentioned enclosures, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on July 10, 2003.



Edward P. Gamson